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GENERATOR**

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September 27, 2001

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

LETTER

We are informed by our British client that the corresponding British application has been declassified. Please confirm that the Secrecy Order in the subject application has been rescinded.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

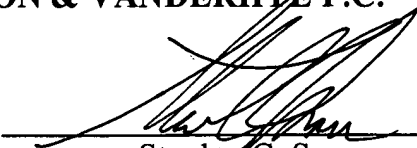
STATUS INQUIRY

On September 27, 2001, Applicant informed the U.S. Patent Office and ASPAB of the corresponding British application's declassification and also submitted a reminder on September 21, 2004. To date, no rescinding order (or any other communication) has been received. Prompt consideration of this matter is respectfully requested.

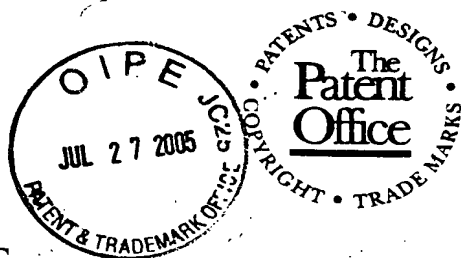
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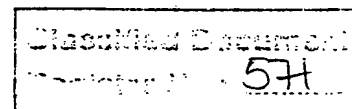
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Your reference: 19-7161

Our reference: C(N)037

20 August 2001



Dear Sirs

Application No. GB9723196.3

With reference to the above application, I can now inform you that the directions under Section 22 of the Patents Act prohibiting communication and publication of the information therein have been revoked.

In consequence, it will now be treated as a normal application and any conditions as to secrecy which the Comptroller may have imposed on applications relating to the same invention filed or to be filed abroad are now withdrawn.

Yours faithfully

M G Wilson